GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

Establishment – G.A. (SC) Department – Excess amount paid to Sri S. Badrinatha Rao, former Section Officer (SC), G.A (SC) Department promoted as Deputy Collector and retired from service on 30-06-2009 A.N. – Cancellation of Special Grade post in the category of ASO (SC) & recovery of the amount from Retirement Gratuity w.e.f. 2-01-2006 to 25-06-2009 – Recovery of Rs. 34,551/- from the withheld amount of Rs. 50,000/- by Accountant General, Andhra Pradesh - Orders – Issued.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION (SC-B) DEPARTMENT

G.O. Rt. No. 2167.

Dated: 13-05-2013. Read the following:

- 1. O.O.No. 378, GA (SC-B) Department, dated: 24-12-1997.
- 2. O.O.No. 13, GA (SU-I) Department, dated: 27-02-2004.
- 3 O.O.No. 73, GA (SC-B) Department, dated: 02-03-2006.
- 4. From A.G.A.P. Letter No. B9/SP-25/2010-04/153, Dated: 10-05-2010.
- 5. From the CCLA Letter No. W3/209/2010, dated: 15-07-2010.

ORDER:

In the reference 1st read above, Sri S. Badrinatha Rao, Assistant Section Officer, while working as ASO in Industries & Commerce Department was appointed as Assistant Section Officer (SC) in General Administration (Strictly Confidential) Department w.e.f. 01-01-1998 F.N and his pay in the category of Assistant Section Officer (SC) was fixed under FR 22-B w.e.f. 01-01-1998. In the reference 2nd read above, the individual was promoted as Section Officer (SU) from the Category of Assistant Section Officer (SU) while on deputation as P.A. to the then Minister for Employment Generation and posted to Home Department on 09-03-2004. In the reference 3rd read above, the individual was appointed as Section Officer (SC) by virtue of his seniority in the Category of Assistant Section Officer (SC). Accordingly, as per the option given by the individual under FR 22 –B with 8 years scale (SG) in the category of Assistant Section Officer (SC), the pay of the individual was fixed by releasing his annual grade increment of 2005, 2006 in the category of Assistant Section Officer (SC) w.e.f. 02-01-2006, by taking his service as ASO (SC) from 01-01-1998 to 01-01-2006 ignoring the pay in the category of Section Officer (SU). In the year, 2009, on the request of the individual he was relieved as Section Officer (SC) w.e.f. 25-06-2009 to join the post of Deputy Collector in the Office of Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad. He was retired as Deputy Collector on 30-06-2009 on attaining the age of superannuation.

- 2. In the reference 4th read above, the Accountant General, Andhra Pradesh, while releasing his pensionary benefits has withheld an amount of Rs. 50,000/- from his Retirement Gratuity, requesting to verify his eligibility for Special Grade Post on 2-01-2006 in the category of Assistant Section Officer (SC) again and to intimate pensionary benefits authorized on the excess drawn pay and allowances. Therefore, the Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, Andhra Pradesh has sought clarification on the remarks made by the Accountant General, Andhra Pradesh.
- 3. After careful examination of the matter, the Government hereby cancel the appointment of the individual to Special Grade Scale in the category of Assistant Section Officer (SC) w.e.f. 2-1-2006 and order to recover the excess amount of Rs. 34,551/- (Rupees thirty four thousand five hundred and fifty one only) (statement enclosed) on the Special Grade Post. The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad shall re–fix the pay of the individual from the category of Section Officer (SC) in the pay of Rs. 18,025/- w.e.f. 26-06-2009 under Revised Pay Scales, 2005 and recover the excess amount paid to the individual together with the amount of Rs. 34,551/- from the withheld amount of Retirement Gratuity of Rs. 50,000/- under intimation to the Accountant General of Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.
- 4. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance (FR-II) Department vide their U.O.Note.No. 8065/213/FR-II/12, dated: 04-05-2012.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

N. SIVA SANKAR, SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (POLL)

To

Sri S. Badrinatha Rao, Deputy Collector (Retd.)

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Copy to: The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, Andhra Pradesh.

Copy to: The Accountant General of Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.

Copy to: Finance (FR-II) Department,

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//FORWARDED BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER (SC)